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# RIGHT MAN

Is Recognized as Man Wanted in Colorado.

MILLER IN CALDWELL

Refuses to Do Any Talking.

BOISE

After Colorado Sheriff Had Recognized Orchard as Man Who Blew up Independence Depot-He Goes to Boise and Confers With Governor.

CALDWELL, Jan. 8.-Sheriff Bell, of Teller county, Colo., arived in Caldwell this afternoon accompanied by another officer. He was taken to jail to see Harry Orchard, held for the Steunenberg murder. So far it is not stated KELLEY KILLED FLEMMINGS whether he recognized him as the man wanted for the blowing up of the Independence Depot at Cripple Creek. This evening the visiting sheriff accompasied by Captain Swain and others went to Boise for a conference with the Governor, Beyond the arrival of Fred Miller of Spokune to defend Orchard, there is very little new in the case today. Miller refuses to say by whom he is employed, but stated it was

not by any organization of miners. Recognizes Orchard.

BOISE, Jan. 8 .- Sheriff Bell stated to the Associated Press tonight that he recognized Harry Orchard as the man wanted on the charge of blowing up the Independence Depot, Other officers like wise recognized him instantly. Sheriff Bell said, he did not ask for the requisition of Orehard, for after looking over the case of the State against Orchard, it was not likely Colorado could get hold of him at this time. Bell feels certain Orchard will be held and Bell is preparing to return home as soon as the preliminary hearing occurs. Orchard does not edmit recognizing the officers.

TAKE THEIR OFFICES.

Labor Union in San Francisco Now Governa City Administration,

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8 .- At noon today the Labor Union Party took charge of the municipal administration. All incoming officials were greeted heartily by their predecessors and initiated into the duties connected with the various offices which they will occupy. May Schmitz urged on all subordinates the importance of filling the the places ably and honestly.

WILL SEND GIFT.

ARDMORE, I. T. Jan. 8 .- The Rough riders will send Alice Roosevelt a wedding present. Each rough rider including the president has been asked to contribute.

### ANXIOUS ABOUT SOMETHING.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 8.-The Herald will say tomorrow, Harry Orchard left here December 14th for Nampa. Before leaving he told a friend he expected something would turn up for him in Spokane and appeared very anxious

CARRY ON FIGHT.

PORTLAND, Jan. 8.-The United States Cigar Store Company concern allied with the Amercian Tobaco Company has rented for a period of ten years from Charles Sweeney, of Spokane, two of the largest business blocks in the heart of Portland. The United States Cigar Company's entrance into Portland is for the purpose of carrying on the fight against M. A. Gunst Arrives From Spokane But He ready have several large establishments

GOOD FOR TEDDY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.-The President has confirmed the sentence of dismissal of First Lieutenant David Snyder, Sixth Infantry, tried in a courtmartial in the Philippines for borrowing

Rassman Admits He and Kelley Held Up Centennial Bar.

The Seventeen-Year-Old Lad is Closely Questioned by Portland Officers and Finally Confesses That Kelley and Himself Were Robbers,

PORTLAND, Jan. 8 .- "Hiney" Rass-Tattoo Kelley of the murder of Thomas Flemmings, the old sailor kiled by highwaymen in the holdup of the Centennial saloon, at 6:20 o'clock on the night of December 15, 1905.

The story of the lad was reduced to writing in the District Attorney's office this morning, and the boy who planned the crime and robbed the till affixed his signature in the presence of witnesses.

Detectives Kerrigan and Snow secured sufficient facts to have sent both men to the gallows, and when they were submitted to the prisoners, Rassman broke down and confessed to his share of the crime and what part Kellov played.

The two detectives were untiring in their efforts to locate the men who had been terorizing the city, and when descriptions of holdups were furnished. immediately thought of Kelley. He was arrested as a suspect, but allowed to depart after an examination, which he considered final,

He was allowed to go, but was under surveillance of the police without being aware of that fact. As soon as it was known that his accomplice was under arrest in Tacoma he was picked up, just in the nick of time. Kelley was not advised of Rassman's arrest and sturdly denied having been implicated. Kerrigan and Snow were sent to Tacoma to bring Rassman back, and on the way here, the boy said enough to convince the officers they had the right

### REAL QUARREL BETWEEN **ENGLAND AND GERMANY**

ROME, Jan. 8 -A former cabinet however, that both countries realize England and Germany. He believes be reached.

minister and statesman of note and one war between them means the dragging in of other nations, and centuries of Receiverships and a new secretary to emblem of honor, but as an instrument likely to return to power, writing on retrogression and the conceded suprethe international situation growing out macy of America and Japan, who will of the Morocoan controversy, says he become the dominators of Europe. He thinks the real antagonism is between therefore thinks an understanding will a grave error in supposing he had a right Marine Shipping Bill presenting exten-

## SENATE DISCUSSES SANTO DOMINGO SITUATION

PANAMA CANAL AND MERCHANT MARINE BILLS

& Company of San Francisco who al- Gorman Urges Reduction in Panama Salaries---Rayner Speaks Opposing Santo Domingo Treaty Criticises Roosevelt's Beliefs.

money from an enlisted man and failing RAYNER SAYS THAT SECRETARY TAFT HAS TOO MUCH TO DO

Asserts Taft Has Not Time to Act as Receiver for all Impecunious People on Earth-Government Ought to Provide New Portfolio to be Known as Department of Foreign Receiverships, and New Secretary to be Known as Secretary of Foreign Bankruptcy.

canal affairs. Hale agreed with Gor- Said he: man in urging the rights of Congress "I deny that there is any seizure of and said that while Congress had dele- territory within the meaning of the

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8,-The | bad been made, stating that such Senate today gave attention to the proposition was at war with the ele-Panama Canal situation, Santo Domin- mentary principles of international law. go ano the Merchant Marine bill. The He said that it was considered a postu-Canal bill came up in connection with late and fundamental maxim of interthe message from the President in national law that government should which among other things he invited not interfere in behalf of the contracted the closest scrutiny of all done by the claims of their citizens, except through government on the Isthmus. Gorman diplomacy. Mr. Rayner averred that made that utterance his text for a the President had erred in stating that speech in which he critizized the salaries the seizure of a custom house and a paid and urged Congressional inquiry. blockade, are equivalent to the seizure He said the President was not so much of territory within the meaning of the to blame as Congress was for the as- Monroe Doctrine, and that the United sumption of control on the Isthmus, States had a right to inerfere in Cenwhen Congress released its hold on ernments attempt to do the same.

### SIXTEEN PERSONS KILLED

HAVERSTRAW, N. Y., Jan. 9.-Sixteen persons are believed to have perished in a landslide here at 11 o'clock last night. Reports this morning are that the dead are from prominent families. The slide occurred at the end of Rockland street and eight houses were carried over the clay bank into brick excavations, dropping down a hundred feet. The slide it is supposed was caused by the fact that workmen in the brick yards dug too close to the end of the street. Most of the people were in bed when the catastrope happened. Immediately after the slide the houses caught fire and it is believed the persons who went down perished in the flames. At 2:45 o'clock this morning the fire was still burning and it is impossible to ascertain the number of dead. The slide carried away the water main supplying the fire hy-· drants and the firemen are powerless to extinguish the fire.

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guted the matter to the President, the | Monroe Doctrine to invoke our interlatter practically referred the matter ference." back to Congress.

was made the basis of a speech by Raynor who said, in part:

"It is not my intention in anything reflection upon the administration of the department of state or to criticise the motives of the President in the ened corner of the globe, where he is course he has taken in regard to his

"As Secretary of War upon fre-United States, I am quite sure that Mr. Taft has not the time to act as receiver be known as the Secretary of Foreign Bankruptey."

to expect a treaty before the treaty sive array figures to support measure.

Quoting from a speech of Secretary The Dominican discussion arose over Taft in which he said this government Tillman's resolution. This resolution is to take temporary possession of Santo Domingo as a receiver, Mr. Rayner declared he found no clause in the constitution empowering the government that I may say to east the slighest to act as a receiver Mr. Rayner, in concluding, said:

"I am with the slave in every darkstruggling to be free and I hope the day may come when every government that is built upon the bower bodies of its quent occasions ex-officio Secretary of subjects may disintegrate, and that State, constructive governor-general of upon its ruins republican institutions the Philippines, and in the absence of may arise. However, Mr. President, as the President, acting President of the deeply as I love my country, with all the devotion I would lay upon her altars, with a fervid reverence for her for all the impecunious people on this flag wherever its colors greet the eye, earth. We will therefore evidently I would rather see that flag lowered have to provide a new portfolio to be and trampled upon than used as a known as the Department of Foreign pirate's ensign and raised not as an of terror and oppression to the helpless and enfeebled races of mankind." . He urged that the President had made Gallinger opened debate on the Mercha

ITALY INTERCEDES.

aks United States to Pardon Convicted

HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 8.-The Italian government is attempting to secure mercy for Mrs. Antoinette Tolla, under sentence to hang Friday, for the murder of a young Italian whom she alleges attempted to make love to her in her own house.

COUNTRY ENTERED.

U. S. Engineers Enter Priest River District.

SEATTLE, Jan. 8.-United States reclastion engineers entered the Priest Rapids country on the Columbia River. HE REFUSES TO TALK Friday, ten engineers have entered the country and another crew is due to arrive today. It is stated that work will begin immediately. This is taken to the abundoment for a time at least of Lawson Offers Advice and Hadley the Tietan and Yakima schemes. The action of the government will block two private enterprises on the Rapids. .

AWFUL ACCIDENT.

HUNTINGTON, Jan. 8.-In the detruction of their home at Cove today, TWO Robert Adams, wife and two children were burned to death.

### HE KILLED HIMSELF

Coroner's Verdict That Edwards Committed Suicide.

MOST REMARKABLE CASE

Evidence Shows Deceased Arose from Bed, Goes to Basement, Opens Door, Shoots Himself Twice, Drinks Laudanum, and Returns to His Bed.

explanation given by Coroner Mix for refused to answer the qu finding is contained in the preliminary leges have combined to stifle competi report to State Attorney Williams, and tion in Missouri. After the adjourn report is made at this time to relieve the public suspense. The coroner adds that the case is probably one of the most remarkable on record. After thing I should like to have him comreaching this conclusion, the first act of the coroner was to release A. Maxcie Hiller from surveillance. The coroner's brief report does not dispel the mystery as to why Edwards, as the coroner expresses it, "At 2 o'clock in the morning descended to the basement, lit the gas, unbolted the rear door, twice discharged a 22-calibre revolver at himself, then helping him every way I can." tailing to kill himself, threw the weapon into the shrubbery near the house where the detectives unearthed it Saturday; then drank laudanum and tossed the bottle after the pistol, where it was also found, and with the blood to Mediterranean waters, flowing from his wound, dragged himself back to his chamber, and got into bed, drew the clothes over his shoulders, and after placing a handkerchief under his head to taunch the flow of blood, lapsed into unconsciousness, death coming six hours later,"

denied himself to callers. Some testi- Sullivan, of Massachusetts, who spoke mony at the inquest is understod to strongly for tariff revision from a be startling almost beyond belief.

Rogers of Standard Oil on Stand Again.

Says" Come and Testify."

CONSIDERED

Hadley Tries to Discover if Standard Ol of Indiana Has New York Offices and if New Jersey Concern Controlls Missouri Companies,

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.-Henry H. Rogers, vice-president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and director of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana which Attorney-General Hadley is trying to oust from Missouri was on the stand today on quo quarranto proceedings brought by Hadley. Hadley took up only two points. One, whether the Standard Oil, of Indiana, has offices at 26 Broadway, New York, and the other whether the Standard Oil of New Jersey owns or controls the majority or the stock in the Indiana Company, Waters-Pierce Oil Company and the NEW HAVEN, Jan. 8 .- Suicide by Republic Oil Company. To the first means of both bullet and poison is the Rogers answered he did not know. He the death of Charles Edwards at the the New Jersey Company owns stocks Hiller homestead Tuesday last. This in other companies which Hadley alis based in part on the discovery of ment of the hearing, Hadley's attention morphine in Edwards' body. The find- was called to some published advice to ings are supported by some portions of him concerning the proceedings from evidence taken at the inquest. The Thomas W. Lawson, and he was asked: "Do you want Lawson to come here and testify."

"Certainly, if Lawson knows anydown," said Hadley,

A dispatch from Boston states: "When I am invited to go to New York to testify against the Standard Oil, I shall accept," said Thomas W. Lawson tonight. "I have not been adleft his chamber in his underclothes, vised in the matter yet, but if the attorney-general desires me to testify I will be pleased to do so, I feel like

NOTHING DOING.

BERLIN, Jan. 8.-The Foreign Office states Geramny is not sending warships

FOR TARIFF REVISION.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8,-With over an hour devoted to the District of Columbia, there was left but half an hour to be devoted by the house to the Hiller took his release calmly, but tariff discussion. This was utilized by Democratic standpoint.

### SHARP FIGHTING GOES ON IN SANTO DOMINGO

were lying in the streets for two days. Santiago.

TURK'S ISLAND, Jan. 8 .- Advices , The attack on Puerta Plata by the invia the steamer Cherokee from Puerta surgents under General Alvarez was ex-Plata, Santo Domingo, dated Saturday, believed the authorities would surrenstates that recent fighting was very der. Insurgent Generals Guillito and sharp, 150 of 800 men on both sides Navarato were defeated by Caceres" being killed or wounded. Dead bodies troops on Friday in an attack on